Economic Development Vision Statement We will promote a strong and diverse economic environment.

Strategy #1 We will promote the development of strategic areas

- Promote commercial development in the Wolf Pen district (on-going)
- Promote development in Crescent Pointe through infrastructure development and rezoning (medium-term)

Strategy #2 We will continue to strengthen and diversify the tax and job base.

- Pursue engineering and development of a second class "A" business park for continued recruitment of technology companies (long-term)
- Pursue updates of incentives guidelines (short-term)
- Incorporate Research Valley Partnership branding (on-going)
- Enhance marketing mechanisms utilized to target site location consultants, real estate professionals, and business executives (short-term)

Strategy #3 We will promote tourism.

- Continue development of Hotel/Conference Center (long-term)
- Support Convention and Visitors Bureau efforts to explore development/recruitment of a new tourism venue (ongoing)

Strategy #4 We will promote revitalization and redevelopment

- Promote redevelopment of targeted commercial properties and areas (ongoing)
- Promote redevelopment of targeted multi-family properties (ongoing)
- Target CDBG funds to infrastructure rehabilitation and public facility improvements (ongoing)
- Target CDBG funds, HOME funds and Cedar Creek proceeds for affordable housing projects and programs (ongoing)